

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: M. IWAYAMA et al. Confirmation No.: 9044
Serial No.: 10/075,283
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For: A METHOD OF SEARCHING DOCUMENTS AND A SEVICE
FOR SEARCHING DOCUMENTS
Group: 2165
Examiner: J. Abel

SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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February 3, 2009

Sir:

Further in response to the Final Office action dated September 23, 2008, and as a supplement to the Request for Continued Examination and Amendment filed on December 15, 2008, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks are included following the amendments.